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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Nancy Allbritton, et al.

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For Method to Measure the Activation
State of Signaling Pathways in Cells

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action dated May 21, 2003 for a period of one month.

Please charge the \$55.00 fee to American Express Account No. 3785-716974-01002.

A Credit Card Payment Form is attached. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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